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the year the best mouths.

A man elected to office is bound to New York. serve the interests of all the people, and not merely the interests of those sworn in marshall as his "own predewho voted for him.

Start a debating society; have a sing- from town. ing school. Send the young people to Berea -don't let the devil have it all his own way because they have nothlng to do!

Obituaries.

Elizabeth, wife of J. W. Van Winkle, passed away Monday morning. after a painful illness, supposed to be we trust that the law-breaking swine congestion of the brain and spinal may now disappear from our streets cord. Her home had been at Beren and garden patches. for over twenty years. She was sister to Mr. I. C. Davis and Miss Sally Davis of this place. The departed was the mother of ten children, all of whom were present at her ladded.

The kindness of those who hand him whom were present at her ladded. whom were present at her bedside, items of news will be appreciated. She was deaconess in the Union Church, and many in the community will lament her taking away.

ton Welch, formerly of Virginia, who lived in Berea more than four years eat and quickly cures dyspepsia and the principle of truthfulness. This After having lost his health he return-indigestion. after having lost his health he returned to Virginia in the spring of '99. He
died of the dreadful disease consumption. He leaves two danghters to
mourn his loss, one in Virginia, the

indigestion.

S. E. Welch, Jr.

The college boys are learning a
new yell—something about Kumbo,
Kiro, Kippo—the blood-curdling
mourn his loss, one in Virginia, the

strains of which startle, the reaccolustic terms of which startle, the reaccolustic terms of which startle, the reaccolustic terms of which startle terms other in Berea.

and joined the Baptist Church at Point Truth, Va. Here in Berea he was one of the charter members of the Lancaster, N. H. says, One Minute Pirst Baptist Church and afterwards Church and C

RY A HORSE.

Under this title the Humane Jour-

nal prints the following advice:
When a man drops from sheer exhaustion or illness, promptly seize an and board or a cart stake and pound him on the head and on the ribs.

and feels that it would seriously strain him to proceed, kick off a fence and never found permant relief till 1 board and knock him down, and hammer him thoroughly with the hourd. This will give him renewed energy, I am well and feel like a new man," and he will make no more fuss. But writes S. J. Flemming, Murray, Neb.

If a man refusee to drink when you offer him water, don't give him everywhere prescribe it.
any water for two days. That will S. E. "teach him" to be thirsty at any time you lind it convenient to attend to

fuster to make up for it.

Tie your man's head back in an ununtural position, with his eyes toward the sun. 'Chia will give him a "line

bus treated are "hanch healthler" han when allowed winter clothing.

PERSONALS AND LOCALS.

Elijnk Logan is better, and is ablo to be out.

Pres. Frost's new house now has the frame up.

T. J. Coyle, formerly of Berea, is elected judge in Juckson Co.

C. Fay Hunson is preparing to build a new livery stable.

book out for the shooting stars. See article elsewhere in this number. Don't forget that we give a hand-

some premium with every new sub-

Frof. Dodge is preparing to seed bis door yard, which has been tilled two or three years to exterminate the

Our friend Silas, who contributes a letter to this paper, snys that if we publish this one, he'll write ngain be-

Miss hiney Johnson has been successfully opperated upon in Cincianati, but her condition is still

considered critical. Let every owner of wood and brush lands read carefully Prof. Mason's article in this number. Its importance cannot be exaggerated.

Miss Florence Merrow, the nurse at the college hospital, entertained Let us make the last two months of the Faculty Club Friday night with stories of her hospital experience in

Wm. Shockley has already been cestor," thus filling the vancancy Long winter nights are at hand, caused by Even Richardsoa's moving tion would hold the balance of power

> Both the Young Men's and the Young Women's Christian Associations are observing this as the week of prayer. Meetings are held each night at the vesper hour.

The town board seems at last to

Ernest G. Dodge has undertaken the

Dr. H. H. Haden, Summit, Ala, mon ranks, whose lives are largely governed by the teachings of the Bills and Mov. 4, 1899, Mr. Isaac Newon Welch, formerly of Virginia, who is a good medicine. I prescibe it, and my confidence in it grows with son Welch, formerly of Virginia, who contianed use." It digests what you S. E. Welch, Jr.

He early professed belief in Christ citizea is the inky hours of early in speaking of the matter in a public

First Baptist Church, and afterwards Cough Cure is the best remedy for morals of the community are become majority of the convention were Mor-How to Treat a Man. lieves and cures coughs, colds, cronp, and perjurers. That is a strong term to use, but I use it advisedly. I say tempt of a whole state to exalt polygon.

I am well and feel like a new man," all forms of indigestions. Physicians

S. E. Welch, dr.

Rev. F. D. Burhaus has felt comamong us,

The Young Women's Christian assemble and "provent stumbling" winter remove his clothing "to provent his taking cold." He will al. o "dry quicker" when you overwork him. You must the abbanket on his great success. It will be the hending the (but leave his to be and limits to be a limit to a limit t The Young Women's Christian As-

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PRESENT ASPECTS plan way in which he spoke of the prevalence of this immorality in the Mormon church. In au address de-**MORMONISM**

REV. R. G. McNIECE, D. D.

Mormonism never had so much political power as it has to day. It virtually controls Utah, Idaho, Wyomin other states, thereby securing quite before n urriage."

a group of men naturally ready to oppose any legislation which the Mory young people in many of these Mory on the security of the mory of these Mory or the interpretation of the security of the a group of men nuturally ready to op-

tem which tends inevitably to break Mormonism. there are many houset and truthful and kind-hearted people in the Mor-

Take first its tendency to destro

croup I ever used." Immediately reed up here a community of hypocrites grippe, and all throat and all lung begets the other; it is the prolitic Many of the church officials, since Prof. Dodge, S. E. Welch, Jr., E. mother of crime here. It is almost a daily occurrence, when the courts 1. Robinson, and Mitchel Preston went to Riehmond Friday, to be truth of this statement. I have seen Here is the way one of the apostles this does not recuperate him, kick fore the county board of election him violently in the helly. This treatment will restore him if persistently administered.

If a man linds his land too heavy the county board of election of the official count.

The county board of election held up her hand before High Heaver had up her hand bef "I had dyspepsia fifty-seven yours on the stand, after taking the oath, admitted that she was the mother of a young woman who was a member lygamist marriages publicly hwful of her household; that the daughter from this day on, and forever more took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. Now of her household; that the daughter had given birth to a child, and that the daughter was married, but this do not on any account reduce the It is the best digestant known. Cures mother could not, to save her soul load. After mentioning other cases, the district attorney refers to the fact the general opinion of the church ollithat the church officials did nothing about this wholesale falsifying. He says that "no word of condemnation him. It is a good plan to ply the pelled, through unforeseen circum- hy any one in authority has ever been whip frequently on a man who is at stances, to withdraw has acceptance intered against the perjury daily com-No matter if he is doing his of the pastorate in the Union Church mitted in our courts, and that portion hest, hit him now and then on "general principles," and to prevent him taking any comfort. If his load is not heavy, oblige him to go enough who knew him in his brief stay defends and praises these perjurers for their cruming while upon the wit-

uess stand. Then take as another evil fruit, the the institution, and will, it is hoped, church last October, one of the apossetting forth the facts which condemn ill a long-felt want.

livered at Beaver, and reported in the Salt Lake Herald, December 29th, 1896, George Q. Cannon, one of the two counselers of the President, is reported as saying: "He regretted greatly that he had heard from very good authority that immorality seemed to be on the increase among the young people of some of the towns of Utah, and especially was this the case

mons might not like.

III. The fruits of Mormonism.
There is something inherent in the polygamous part of the Mormon syssult of this polygamous system of sult of this polygamens system of

The town board seems at last to down that sense of moral obligation, mean business in the hog matter, and that discrimination between right and ed, is the significance of the recent IV. The last point to be considerwrong, that truthfulness and honor election of a polygamist to Congress.

and purity of life which true ChrisThe chief otherals of the church, tianity is so powerful in building up.
The contrast in these respects between Mormonism and Christianity, is like that between light and darkness. Roberts takes the seat to which he has been elected, it will not in any sense affect the question of polygumy. If he should be unseated the result as to polygamy would be no different."

Now the general opinion of the non-Mormoas here is just the opposite. They think if Roberts is seated it will simply fasten polygamy upon lack of truthfulness had many sad it. Utah; and if he is unseated, it will strains of which startle the peaceful district attorney during those years, citizes is the inky hours of early in speaking of the matter in a public protest of a strong minority of his own party, who objected on the ground of his being a polygamist. And many of this minority refused to aupport him. But the overwhelming ing dehanched. There is being renrinions, and they were determined to

put honor upon a polygamist.

It is practically the rebellious at-Robert's election, are exceedingly deliant, and raise the insulting ques-Here is the way one of the apostles wanted to pass a law right here in our State, making polygamy and poin the State, neither Congress, nor the Senate, nor the President, nor all the committees of clergymen and women in America could do anything about it." This is a fair sample of cinls, although they are not all so frank in its expression. It should be borne in mind, however, that the non-Mormons of Utuh want Mr. Roberts nusented, not because he is a Mormon, but because he is a law-breaking polygamist, and is false to the

The writer disclaims any feeling of unkindness soward the Mormon peo On the other hand, he would be glad to see them prosper. But he



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Ir is the opinion of a German coulist that the use of the ordinary slates by school-cliffdren tends to produce short-sighteduess. As a subsitute no recommends pen and lak or an artitlelal white slate with black pencil. The latter have been introduced in some of the German school.

JAPANESE newspapers are published In Brooklyn, San Francisco and Home-Iulu and Japanese magazines at Sacramento and Los Angeles. They are elther llthographed or produced by manifolding process. Japanese journallam, at home as well as abroad, follows American models in general.

DEFECTIVE floes are responsible foe over II per cent. of the fires and incendiarism is next as a cause. Last year 6,891 incendlary fires occurred. Lightning caused \$.479 spontaneous combustion 1, 179, friction lu machinery 295, natural gas 9t, dust explosions 14, and five were caused by the sun's raya passing through window glass.

A scientiar of some standing asserts that chemically pure water is poison to the human atomach, upsetting some hitherto accepted theories regarding distilled water by the argument that In distillation the water loses aundry salts that it greedly abstracts from the animal tiasues when It is awallowed, thus constituting a protoplasmic poison.

ALEXANDER AGASSIZ of Harvard unlversity has never received any salary for his services to the museum of com parative zoology. Between 1571 and 1897 he has expended \$750,000 of his private means without making any communication concerning it to I'resident Eliot. lle is now lo the southern Pacific ocean making deep sea explorations for the university collections.

In the Anstrian court it is contrary to enstom for perishable articles to appear twice on the Imperial table. The result is large perquisites for the attendants. To one man falls all uncorked bottles, to another the wine left in the glasses, to another the joints, and to another still the game or the sweets. Every morning a sort of market is held in the basement of the palace, where the Viennese come to purchase the remains.

It is an Italiau doctor who specially recommends laughter as a cure for modera lila. The diseases influenced by a hearty laugh are numerous and range from bronchltis to anaemia. It will be is effected. A course of tickling is prescribed for bronchitis, foe example; a conrac of farcical comedles might ault an anaemic patient; while puns, fieed off at intervals, would be found efficaclous in cases of pleurlay.

GEN. BOULANGER'S famous black horse Tunis has met an ignominous death. After the flight of Boulanger the animal passed from hand to hand. and finally descended to the inglorious sarvice of drawing a cab through the streets of Paeis. This proved too much foe Tunia and he was sold to Armand Delogne, a well known dealer in horseflesh, by whom he was duly slaughtered, cut up and sold for stew ing purposes in the market place of St.

Among the glaciers found in the Rocky monntains la Grasshoppee glacler, which derives its name from the enormous quantity of grasshopp:r remains that are found on aud in the glaciee. Periodically the grasshoppers take their flight southward, and must cross the mountains. Their favorite route seems to be across the wide glacler, and in the passage scores of thousands of them auccumb to the rigor of cold and wind, fall helpless upon the snow and are finally entorobed in tha

ALL sorts and conditions of people patronize the l'aris Mont de Piete, oe municipal pawnshop. A report just issned shows that among the borrowers last year were 8,500 working people, 8,497 employes, 6,561 marchants, tradesmen and manufacturers, and 2.019 representatives of the liberal profeasions. Rentlers, who live on thele dividends, frequently seek the help of the friendly Mont, and \$ 209 of this class are among the borrowers. The institution is looked upon more as in the nature of a bank than la the pawn-

THE Vanderblit bequests are subject to a war tax of from \$2.25 to \$15 on each \$100. The tax is \$2.25 for each \$100 on amounts of \$1.000,000 left to a brother or lineal descendant, and \$15 for each \$100 of auma bequeathed to strangeraln blood or a body polltie or the corporation. It is estimated that the national government will receive between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000, ac cording to present calculation, from the Vanderbilt estate. In addition to this, the state will collect an inheritance tax. The state will receive about \$70.000 from the estate, which la vai..ed 81 \$70,000,000.

THE QUILL-WORKER.

Plains, plains and the prairie land which the auntight moods arguing.

To the north the open country, southward the Cypress hitls.

Never a bit of woodland, never a rill that

flows, Only a stretch of cactus beds, and the wild.

aweet prairie rose; Never a habitation, sava where in the far

aouthwest
A solitary topes lifts its solitary crest.
Where Neyka in the doorway, crouched in
the red aunshine,
Brotilers her buckskin mantie with the
quilts of the porcupine.

Neykia, the Stoux chief's daughter, she with the foot that files, the wish the hair of midnight and the wondrous midnight eyes.

She wish the deft brown fingers, she with

the soft, slow smile,

She with the voice of veivet and the
thoughts that dream the white—
"Whence come the vague to-moirowa?

Where do the yesters fly?

What is beyond the border of the prairte and the sky? Does the maid in the Land of Morning sit

in the red sunshine, Brothering her buckskin mantle with the quitia of the porcupine?' So Neykta, in the weatland, wonders and

works away, Far from the fret and folly of the "Land of

Waking Itay."

And many the pule-face trader who atopa at the tenee door

For a smile from the sweet shy worker and a sigh when the hour ta o'er,

For they know of a young red hunter who oftertimes has said.

To rest and smoke with her father, though life eyes were on the maid. And the moons will not be many ere she in the rest sunsising Will brotder his buckskin mantle with the

quills of the porcupine.
-E. Pauline Johnson, in Black and White.



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CHAPTER XI.-CONTINUED.

resolved not to go back to my lodging, hat to quit Floreace the monient I had so cured my horse. It was necessary, however to provide some change of attire. I did not intend to substitute a steel corselet for my buff-coat, having a mind to light my way back to fortune with no defense but that over my heart, and contented myself with porchasing a light steel helmet, a mir of stout riding-boots, a cloak, and som other articles which could go into a small rulise, capable of being fastened on to the back of a saddle. These I left at the ren dor's, promising to call for them in an hour or so, and larried toward the horse mar ket, my shadow still keeping behind me, in his accustomed place. Opposite the Baptistry I heard, to my surprise, some one shouting my name, and looking in that disaw a man running across pavement towards me. I recognized at once ne of my lances, Jacopo Jacopi, a Lucchese, whom I had every reason to believe de voted to me. He had served with me at Fornovo and after; and although he sub-sequently left me for a little time, on my joining the Venetian fleet against the Turks, he returned to my banner once more, when it was spread on firm ground, and had always proved a devoted follower. He came now to me with joy on his face, shouting out, "Ab, excellency! It is I, who am a glad man to see you."
"Jacopt!" I exclaimed, "but my name

is no longer Savelli. It is Donati now-and what do you here!"

He looked a trifle embarrassed, as he replied: "I am seeking service-I left the rmy when your excellency left." Knowing the man to be a etout soldier, I

decided on the instant what to do.
"See here," I said, "I have no time lose. Will you follow me once more? am bound to Rome on an urgent affair, and

leave to-day."
"Will a dog saiff at a bone? Will a cat pass by cream? Will an asaturn up his nose at a carrot? I will follow to the devil, let alone Rome, excellency, and at once if you

'liave you a horse?" "Nothing, algnore, but an arquebus and rry aword, which I have at my lodging." "Then come with me, we must buy two borses, and leave at oace."

"I am ready, your worship," and taking his place a little behind me we hurried on. "We tvill have a hard task to get to Rome, now that the whole country in up,

algnore," said Jacopo, as we walked along.
"I have thought of that," I answered; "I propose to go by Leghorn, and taking ship there, proceed to Rome by sea."

Lacopo gave such a groan at this that I turned round in surprise, and became at ace aware that my shadower had crossed the road and come so close up to us that he must have heard every word of our con-versation. This was most annoying, and a lmaster of which the future consequences might be most serious. I determined how-ever to be rid of him for the rest of my stay in Florence at any rate, and addressed him

"Siguore, I seem to have excited much curiosity in you. May I ask what it is you want?

He atood for a moment, at a loss for re-ply, and then said: "The road is as free to ine as to you."
"I admit that," I sald; "but I object to

your stopping to listen to my conversation, and therefore will be obliged by your passiog on, unless you want a more severe pun ishment than you received last night.

He turned pale with anger, and slipped hta hand into his vest; but as suddenly pulled it out again, and without another word hurried past us. "Mark that man, Jacopo," I said; "wher-

ever he is, there is danger for us; and now tell me some news of the army." "The duke le to full march on Perugia,

and means to drive Cesare thence. whole country is awake, as you know. The general, Ives d'Alegres, is come on a mission to l'Inrence."
"Ivea d'Alegrea bere!"

"Yes, excellency, and the lord of Bayard bas hurried to Rome." "Then this means something that I can not follow."

'Nor can I explain, excellency.' "And tell me, has the duchesse de Tremouilla gone back to France?" Yes, by sea from Leghorn, with a great

train of ludies, just before war was declared again. It is said she is gone to the court of the king of Macon, and the escort was commanded by Count Carlo Viacouti. "Do you know any who went with her?" 'Nearly all the ladies who were at Arezzn

for the duke, it is said, would have none of tham, now that was was begun sgain. I had to come to the question direct: 'Was Mme. d'Entrangues in the train of

"In truth, excellency, the reverend fa-

with them as far as Siens, when I took my

So she had sone, and I felt a relief at the news. Once in France, she would be safe with her family, and I was honestly glad she was out of the dangers of the time.

We had now reached the horse market, and with some search discovered two likey looking animals, whose prica was within measure of my purse. I could not afford to pick and choose to any great ex-tent, but for 40 crowns became the owner were as sound as I could see of two nage, one a bay, and the other a russet, with an off foot white above the pastern, an unlucky color, and the white marking ilenoted devitry. But he was a shrewd-looking beast, and I kept him for myself, giving the bny to Jacopo. Having paid on the spot for these, together with the necessary suddlery, we rode to the shop where I had left my purchases, and collected them. It was here that the idea struck me that there was an opportunity to keep my word, and return her gift to Madonna Angiola, therefore asking messer the shopkeeper for sealing wax and some purchment, which he willingly supplied on a small payment, I care-fully folded up the tari, and scaled up the folded up the tari, and sealed up the packet. Taking it in my haml, I went out to Jacopo, who was holding the horses, and

See here, Jacopo. Take this packet to the house of the secretary Machiavelli. It lies in the ward San Spirito, near Santa Feheita, and cannot be missed. Deliver it auto the hands of the Lady Angiola, say nothing, and come away. There is no reply needed; you follow?"

Excellency."
"Bight. Then after doing this you may dine, collect your arms, and meet me in an hour and a half at the San Frediano gate. And you might as well bring a feed for the horses with you. Stay, here are two

"It shall be done, your worship. I know the secretary's house, and the rest is aim-

He mounted his horse, and trotted off: reflecting that a chaffinch in a cage is better than a mayia in a bush, and that I might as well dine now whilst I had the chance, I swing myself into the saddle, and

proceeded at a smart pace toward the Double Florin. I had to cross the plazza of the Signory on my way there, and whilst doing so came face to face with a riving party. It was composed of several ladies and gentlemen, and amongst them was Machiavelli, who glanced at me with a friendly twinkle in his eye, and gave me an imperceptible nod of approval. Almost immediately behind him was old lives d'Alegres, riding with a bolt uproalit seat, and making himself agreeable, ite his lear-like manner, to Lady Angiola, who role beside him. There was no avoiding them, and virlding to a sudden impulse I saluted as they came up. A look of contempt spread over the features of the general, who made no response, and Ma-donna Angiola kept her eyes fixed before slie had seen nothing. passed by in a moment, leaving me speech ss with nager, for, owing to my failure to preserve a disguise, I had allowed my beard to grow again, and D'Alegrea without doubt recognized me. There was some ex-cuse perhaps for him; but none I could think of for her, and, to add to my chagrin, I thought that Jacopo would probably waste hours in awaiting her return. I let my horse out to a hand gallop, notwithstanding the pavement, and luckily doing activities to any of the aversal key or to him. no injury to any of the passers by or to him, pulled up in a few minutes at the door of my ordinary. Ifere, although I tried to eat, I was so angry that I could only trifle with my food, and, raging within myself, I drank a full measure of wine, awallowed such morsels as I could, and went to see after my horse. By my directions he had a light feed and was being rubbed down. As provision ngainst accidents, I purchased a liottle of Chienti, together with a roast fowl and a leaf of white bread, and these I placed in my saddle-bags. Then, seeing to the saddling of the linrae myself, I exchanged my velvet cap for the steel helmet, and drawing my eword belt in by a hole, sprang into the saddle, and went on at a leisurely pace towards the San Frediano gate. There was still identy of time, so I made no hurry, and, indeed, when I reached the gate, the gong there boomed out five o'clock, leaving a half hour still to spare before Jacopo due. I pulled up therefore at the side of the

road, and dismounting, led my horse up and down. It was whilst thus engaged that I noticed a priest, arounted on a smart cob, trotting in the direction of the gate, and knowing that a musfortune and a fring are seldom apart, f observed him narrowly as he passed. He drew his cowl, however, over his face, so that I could make nothing of but, on reaching the gate, he stopped to oak some questions of the sentry there, and the man, in raising his hand to salute, slightly startled the horse, which threw back its head. This sudden movement made the hood the rider wore fall back a little, but it was enough to enable me to see it was the library scribe, old Ceci's nephew; and I augured ao good from this, resolving

nevertheless to be on my guard more than ever. The pretended priest received an answer to his inquiry, and, giving his bene-diction, in true sacredotal manner, rode off at a pace that allowed haseat on the library stool had not interfered with his seat in the saddle. It was now fully the half hour, and yet Jacopa ilid not come. I waited until the gong struck six, and mas just about to ride off, leaving a message with the guard, when I saw him approaching.
"Make haste," I cried, as I mounted;

you are late."
"Pardon, excellencyl Hut the lady wa not there. I had to wait a full hour be-fore she came back from riding, and Geu. l'Alegrea was with her."

"Did you give the packet?"
"I did, excellency. I rode up, asked who Lady Angiola was, and presented the packet, saying it was from Cavaliere di Sa-velli, my master."

"Oh, glorious fool! Did I not tell you my name was Donnti? Did I not tell you to say nothing, but merely give the packet pto the lady's hands?"

"Body o' me, excellency! But there were so many about, my wita almost went a wool gathering. I gave madame the packet, however, and she took it."
"Said anething?"

"Said anything?"

"Nothing, excellency-never a word." There was no use crying over spilt milk nd cursing Jacopo in un heart for a mind dle headed fool, we started off. On reaching the rentry, I thought I might as well try and liud out what the sham friar was looking for. The man raised his hand in salute as I came up, and flinging him a crown I bade him drink to the bealth of the Sig-

ory therewith. "Marry! I will with pleasure, and yours too, excellency," he said, as he pocketed the money, evidently stirred by the amount. "lustead of mine, drink to the health of my good friead, the monk, who has just gone on. Can you tell me if he inquired for anyone here?"

I relied on the simplicity of the man, and on taking him by aurprise with the question, and as it happened I hit my mark.

I am sure of that, excellency, 1 was ther inquired about a party of five horse-men, who took the road to Leghorn about four o'clock this afternoon. He doubted much if he could overtake them 'ere night-fall, he said, and would have to ride hard."

I poised another crown on my fingers, abently. "Do you know any of the party ently. "No, excellency; but their leader was an old man with a long white heard, and I think I heard him addressed as Cecl. Ex-

cellency, the wine will flow to-night—a hun-dred thanks." I dropped the crown into his palm, moving him to his closing words. "t'ome on, Jacopo. It grows late," and, setting apura to our horses, we rode at a

CHAPTER XII. THE AMBUSCADE.

It is good to go through the air, with the trength of a brave horse under one, to know that his strong muscles are stretching with an enjoyment as keen as his rider's hear the air whistle as one cuts through it, and to feel the blood fair ly dance in the veins. After those weary weeks of illness, of maction, and of mental despair I had passed through, it was as if new life was poured into me, to know that I was once more in the saddle, with a prospect, however faint, of regaining all I had lost. As the landscape on each side of me melted into a green gray streak, it seeined to carry away with it my suffering, on the true horse answered willingly to the touch of my spur, I forgot the past, and was once again Ugo di Savelli, with a spirit as high as the days before the black sorrow fell upon me. To the left of the road was a broad stretch of apringy turf, crossed by a fairly wide water channel. I could not resist giving the beast a birst over this, and, followed by Jacopo, galloped over it with a free rein. Both the horses took the jump like bucks, and, carried away by the moment, we held on, until we reached the atony and bowlder-covered incline which led to the valley of the Greve. Here the turf came to a sudden end, in a line such as the edge of a calm sea makes in a bay, and then began a steep descent of gravel and loose stones, whose many colors of gray, othre and brown, were aplashed here and there by masses of short, thick shrubs, which gradually increased in denseness, until they spread before us, a sea of somber green, that stretched to the clear blue of the Greve. ltere, on the crest of the slope, I drew bridle, thinking the horses had enough of it for the present, and that it would be well to husband their strength. Jacopo pulled up alongside of me and, stooping to pat the neck of his mount, said:

"Excellency, the horses are in good condition; they will carry is well to Leg-horn?" He spoke the truth, for although they might have been in better training, a the few clots of yellowy white foam on the part of the reins which had touched their necks showed, still we should have been content with less from new and practically untried purchases, such as we had made and I congratulated myself mentally on our luck, for Barabbas himself would have had nauch to learn from the horse dealers of

'lly keeping at this pace, excellency," said ropo, as we trotted on, "we shall reach the Resa shortly before it gets quite dark, and I submit that we stop there to fee horses. As your honor commanded, I have brought a meal for them, and there was space enough in the sack for a spack for me, which would do at a pinch for two, if your excellency would but condescend to

"You say well, Jacopo; but I also am an old solder, and my saddle-bags are full. A iasting body makes but a faint heart, whether for man or beast-on the other

lank of the Resa then, we shall call a halt.

There is a little light still, enough to merease the pace—so onwards!"

We broke into a hand gallon, keeping ona behind the other, and following the windings of a cattle track, for I had purposely avoided the road after receiving the in-formation I had extracted from the sentry at the San Frediano gate. It was evi dent that the party of men, followed by Ceci's nephew, hail left Florence to carry out some desperate design. I had been deeped all day by this man, and now be had galloped off in disguise to join the men who had left Florence before we had, and amongst them was his uncle. Ceci's words manner in which I was followed, left me no room to doubt that I was the object of their attention, and that it would be necessary to keep well on the alert. I did not apprehend danger at once, but thought that if an attack were made it would be in the narrow valley between the low hills to the north of Montespertoli, or at Ponte a Elsa, each of which places was particularly suited for an ambuscade, although, o course, considering their numbers, the attempt might be made elsewhere, and openly, without very much danger. So with another hurried word of warning to Jacopo, and holding my aword ready, I galloped along, increasing the pace as much as possible, whenever we went past a clump of trees, and both of us keeping as sharp a lookout as the light, or rather darkaces, permitted. We avoided the regular ford of the Resa on the Montespertoli road, crossing higher up in the direction of Monteupo, and here got a good wetting, for the ater was deeper than we auticipated. Had Ceer and his friends only lain in wait for us at this point, we should have had no chance. As it happened, however, we had taken a zig-zag route, which had cither thrown them off the track entirely, or we should meet them further on, either at one of the two spots mentioned by me, or h some other equally convenient locality. At any rate, we were sate for the present, and that was something to be thankful for, even if we were in darkness. So my thoughts ran on as we acrambled somehow to the opposite bank of the Resa, and groped our way up until we felt soft grass under our fret, for we had diamounted on fording the stream, and led our horses by their brilles up the steep left bank. Here we called halt, determined to await the moon, and Jacopo managed somehow to tether the horses, fastening the halters to the stung of a tree he discovered by stumbling against and on which he wanted some of those curses enemies. After giving the horses their feed which they nosed out readily enough, despute the darkness, he joined me where I sat in the grass trying to dry, and wrapping up the lock of his arquebus in a wonlen cap which he produced, to keep it from damp he took his seat beside me at my mvita

It was fall-to now, to our supper, and adding my store to my faithful follower's sopply I sunk distinctions of rank, and we enjoyed n meal, with a hearty content-ment that had been a stranger to me for many a day. When the last drop of wine in the bottle was finished, and we had picked our last bone, Jacopo arose with a

sigh.
"Before supper, excellency, I was ready to eat and then light my way through an army; uow, beshrew me, if a sound nap of an hour or so is not much to my laste!" I could not fothear smiling, but did not

rise to the bins, and when our horses were

examined with the minutest care, wa mounted and set off. As although we both well knew the direct road to Leghorn, but were not acquainted with the district an as to correctly pursue our way by moonlight, I de cided to run the gauntlet of the ambuscade, If there was any, and take the risk of coulosing our track by chancing short cuts, which might lead to, Heaven alone knew where! Now that we were once more on the road, we trotted along at a fairish pace through the allent night. The way led for some distance over an ineven plain, envshone in the moonlight like water. plain gradually narrowed to where it was intersected by a chain of low hills, and it was in crossing these that we should have to ride through a narrow gut and possibly nicet our danger. As we approached the bills, the short, stunted foliage that tufted the plain changed to a half-grown forest, in the midst of which the road wound, and liere we waited for a second, whilst Jacopo examined his piece to see that all was anglit, and gingerly idew at the match thereon to give the fire a little strongth. This be ing done, we proceeded with the greatest caution, riding one behind the other, and going alowly, as we feared a pitfall of some kind among the trees. Luckily there was none, and at last we got out of the me-mediate presence of the forest, and into the gul, where the precipice rose high on each side of us. All was rock and stone, but the road was fairly even, a trap could have leen seen, and going slow a inistable here, so we clapped spurs to the horses and scut

midded again, and every buckle and stres

rere agreenbly disappeanted, and got out f the passage without mishap of any kind. Animo! Signore, we are out of this, and to-night will not be bread for the teeth of these brigands;" and Jacopo, whose horse had carried him a bitle in advance, drew rein to let me come up, and we rode out of

them along, and although momentarily es-pecting to see the dash of an arquebus, we

the tail of the tass
"I hope so, but we are not out of the wood yet," and I pointed to where a dip in the ground showed there was a small stream, and on the opposite bank the road. again led into forest land.

And I was just going to beg your wor ship's leave to troll a catch," said Jacope and as he uttered these words we placked into the shall stream before us. at this moment my horse neighed shrilly, and an answering neigh from the wood be

fore us rang out into the night. Crick! Prack! Two red tongues of fire licked out from the darkness of the trees, we heard the loud report of firesrus, and a brace of balls sang past, unpleasantly close to my head.

TO BE CONTINUED !

MUSCLE DID IT.

A Stirring Incident of Revolutionary Days When Brute Force Was Seeded.

Among the historical records of Virginla we find the story of an incident in the life of one of the heroes of the revolution which has not, we believe, up peared claewhere in print. It is worthy of preservation, as it illustrates the acquiescence of our forefathers in the excrelae of brute force na arbiter in maiters under dispute.

Capt. Crawford, famous as au Indian fighter, led no expedition into Virgiata shortly before Braddock's defeat. Illa troop was made up of planeers, Indepemlent farmers who found It hard to submit to military discipline.

Crawford needed transportation, and neeting a wagoner with a team of four horses, ordered him into the service of the king. The waguuer was a man of gigantic bulld. He surveyed the body of nrmed men surrounding him and angry as lie was, saw that resistance was useless. Yet to leave his home and work for months meant ruln.

He threateningly approached Craword. "I've not a fulr chaace." 'lt'a one against hundreds. They're armed and I'm not. Hut I'll tell you what would be falr. I'll fight you oe any man in youe army. If I'm whilpped I'll go with you. If you're whipped I go free." The proposal, absurd aslt now seems,

was too much in the spirit of the time for Crawford to refuse It without being mlannderstood by his troops. He began reluctantly to strip off his coat, when one of his men, a young fellow who had been leaning against a tree, atepped forward.

"I will fight him," he said, fneing tha glant. "If you are benten the whole company is diagraced. But if he kills me It la only a waganer like himself the ese in the world."

Crawford, after a feeble show of resletauce, consented, and the young trooper sprang at the hugo wagoner with the fury of a panther. Although lightly built he laid muscles of steel, and aftern short struggle the glant was beaten. The young man una Dauled Morgun, afterwards a major general in the revolutionary army .- Youth's Com-Lanlon.

The Question of Hends.

"llow cnn you bent and seratch your husband in this terrible way?" anid a judge to a woman of milrit and indepeadence. "Don't you know that he is the head of the family, and ought to be respected as such? Dou't you know that he la your head too, and ought to be obeyed?"

This was pretty severe doctrine to preach to a distracted family, but every mnn in the world will say that it is strictly true, and ought to be enforced. This woman, however, was unterrified, and in very pert tones saidt

"Juilge, la that man my head?" "Most assuredly he is," was the re-

"Well, judge," sald the slern illacipla of a logical system, "la there any good reason why I ahouldn't scrutch my head If I wish to?"-London Tit-Ilita.

"Marry you?" senrnfully exclaimed the young woman. "No-not if you were the last mau on earth! I'll never marry a 306-pounder with a No. 14 foot and a hand like a apilt band"

"I percelve, Misa Flyppe," rejoined the overgrown young man, bla entire frame trembling with Indignation, "that you are not only waap-walsted, but you can atlug!"

And he went away, not whelly

erushed,-Chleago Tribune.

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Wind in a Net."

"You Can't Catch the

PEACE OFFERINGS.

They Preceded 11tm and as file Wife Predicted He Was Home with His Purchases,

She received a large box full of American beauty roses by messenger from her bus-land along toward four o'clock the other

band along toward four o'clock the other afternoon.

"Jamea is absorbing Martigay cocktails again," she issued shrewdly.

Ilali an hour later another messengee brought for live pounds of expensive cody from her limband.

"Jamea has ordered that \$80 overcoat he was talking about, but said he couldn't afford," she indied again.

Ilalf an bour later a wagon diew up, with a florist's name pointed on the sides increof, and two hamboome, full grown palms were delivered at her door marked as coming from her husband.

"Thire branches preceding him," she mused some more "He'll be home by dark."

Ile was home by dark. He had detern the sorbing Martignys. He had detern the 80 overcoat. The presuence of the modern warried woman is sufficiently awe-inspiring to persuade any man to raise his boanet thereto.—Washington Post.

Igaorance is more powerful in the hands of some people than knowledge.—Chicago Daily News.



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congestion and falling of the womb

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two months the doctor gave me permis-

sion to go back to work. I went back,

but in less than a week was com-

pelled to give ap and go to bed. On

breaking down the second time, I de-

eided to let doctors and their medicine

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YOU may because I never healtate to tell

the cause of my health."-Mrs. E. J.

and inflammation of ovaries.

Did Everything in Illa Pawer in fecure Impport Stot Was Handlenpped.

"I suppose it was a little checky," and the young town to the old fellow on the rear pattern of the nar, "but what are you going to do in such a nace?"
"Yee, what are you going to do?" queried the old fellow, to reply, though having no knowledge of what was meant.
"I got up the pourage to ask her hand."

knowledge of what was meant. "I got up the rourage to sik her hand in marriage and she mu inused yes."
"They generally murium."
"Thin to be in good form, I had to go and ask the old man's consent."
"Princelly correct, young man—perfectly correct,

correct."
"I took a bracer and walked in nn him,"
continued the young man, "and in due time
I had atated my case. He waited a decent
length of time and then and I could have

her"
"That was beautiful—beautiful."
"Yes, as for an it went. Yes that was all right, but I wasn't through with him yet. I had to ask him if hed lend me a hundred dollars to get married on. Wasn't no other way, you know."
"Nn, no other way," repeated the old fellow as he got a new brace for his back.
"And he loaned it to you?"
"Noan, Tirew ma down with a dull

Nonp. Threw ma down with a duli

"Noap. Threw ma down with a duli thud."

"You don't say!"

"Did for a fact. Yes, the whola thing is off, and I have loved and lost. I don't sea where I'm to blame, though "

"Not a lot of it. You loved and wanted to marry; but it takes money to get married on. He had it, but wouldn't lend it. No money—no marriage. Plain as the noas on your face, and you're not a bit in blame. 't'ut it that, young man, and rheer up and get a new hold with your loss. You had to it—had in do it—and anylody as says you hadn't is a line and a loss thief and dasn't stand up before the undersigned for three rounds!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

THE ICE MACHINE'S PART.

At Last There line licen a New Panturn introduced into tinele Tom's Cobin.

There is a new wrinkle in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" theatrical companies. One of them, which is ransacking the state of New deriver for audiences, has hit upon the davice of turing a refugerating machine and using real blocks of ice in the scene in which Eliza, pursued by a pack of barking mongrela, crosses the river carrying in her arms a studied doll.

The normalizer machine has a property of the pr

The icemaking machine has proved an enormous success. At the Ridgewood operations, where the ice machine played a few veerings ago, a frantic crowd fought its way through the iloors. At the first performances the ice machine was kept in the back ground. Several takes were manufactured before the performance and placed on the green beire river. They were carefully sanded on the surface, so that when thus made her grand dash for liberty she would not turn unlignified somerscutts. The ice machine, however, had been so largely advertised that yokels wanted to see it. They sat in their places after the curtain de-

tied that yokela waited to see it. They sat in their places after the curiain ilesended upon the solemn death of Little
tiva and howled for the ne machine to come
out and allow itself. The stage manager
and a couple of deck hands had to carry it
slown to the footlights. Then they turned
the liandle and, aimid uprearous appliaus,
the machine produced a cake of real ice.
Since then a part has been written in the
play for the tee machine. When the river
acene opens a couple of southern speculators
are discovered experimenting with the
machine. They produce their ice, and not
having any inmediate use for it turn it into
the river, and it sits upon the river surface
it proper intervals to accommodate Eliza's
footsteps. A colored man comes out onl
partikles sand over the ice in full view of
the audience.—Chicago Chronicle.

Under Twn Fings.

"What a grand picture It must have been," 'to have seen the Ulympia steaming home, the stars and stripes on one mast and the homeward pennant on the other."

'Magnificant' school she was a start of the stars and stripes on the stars and stripes on the other."

echoed the man in bisek suspenders, "but think what a picture it would have been to have seen the stars and steppes on one mant and the baseball pennant on the other."—Chicago Evening News.

Can't Miss the Pince.

Stranger-Where does that new dentist have him office?

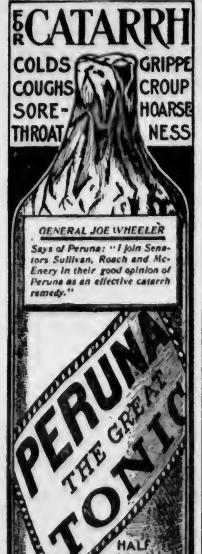
1'oliceman-You mess the one who pulls

teeth without pain?

"Yea,"
"Go right around the corner. You will have no trouble finding his office. You can hear his patients yell half a block away."

Ohio State Journal.

A Dear Little Darling.-Wigwag-"My wife is the dearest little woman in the world." Watson-"I don't know about that. How much does she cost you?"-Philadelphia Record.



ADM. DEWEY MARRIED.

The Entire Affair Was Kap: a Profound Secret, No Spesiotors Hotog Precent at the Caremontee

WARHENOTON, Nov. 10.-Mrs. Mildred M. Hazen and Ailm. George Dewey wers quietly married at 10 o'c'ock Thursday morning at the rectory of St. l'aul'a Catholie church. The ceremony was performed by Rav. James F. Maekin, pastor of the church, sasisted by Rev. Joseph A. Foley, assistant pastor, and Rev. Sidney Hurlbut. ceremony was strictly private and of the simplest character, and was performed with the ring accoriling to the nuptial rites of the Catholie church, and including the address of Father Mackin, consumed less than five minutes. The arrangements for the wedding were made with all the accreey which has attended the whole affair, and not a single spectator was prasent

The bride was accompanied by Mrs. Washington McLean, har mother, and Mrs. Ludiow, her slatar, while Adm. Dewey was accompanied by Lieut. Caldwell, his aide. There were no oth-

er guanta. At the close of the ceremony Adm. Dawey grasped Fathac Mackin'a hand and said: 'Father, I am greatly pleased to have been married by you, for I know that at one time in your life you were a sailor."

After the ceremony the Adm. and Mrs. Dewey entered a carriage and were driven to the residence of Mrs. Washington McLean, where a wadding breakfast was sarved and at 12:45 they

left for New York. NEW YORK, Nov. 10. - Adm. and Mrs. Dewey arrived in New York Thursday night from Washington. They were driven direct from the West Twentythird atreet farry to the Waldorf-Astoria, where they are the guests of Mr. lioldt, the propriator of that hotel. The admiral and his brids did not reg-

WE NEED COALING STATIONS.

Rr. Adm. Stradford, to Sila Report, Show How Great is the Defisioney to Time of Heatilthes.

Washington, Nov. 10.-The urgent necessity of adequats coaling stations for our war ships is dweit upon by Rr. Adm. Itradford, chief of the naval bureau of aquipment, in his report to the a merely human book, but one inspired secretary of the navy. Its relates tha difficulties ancountered during the war with Spain in securing coal, transporting it and gatting it ahoard the ships. "While these efforts wers successful," the admiral says, "It was due almost entirely to the near proximity of the theater of war to our own coast.

Adm. Hradford says that a United States fleet if called upon to act at any point across the Atlantic must encounter even greater difficulties than matter of fact," continued Adm. Bradfoed, it may be stated without feac of contradiction that at present it would be impossible for a United States fleet to carry on active operations during a war anywhere about the coast of Europe, Africa, a large portion of Asia and South America for want of coal."

A Trolley Elte That Carries a Bomb o High Esplostve Power Which to Automatically Ratequed Over no Enamy.

CHICAGO, Nov. 10.-Sline J. Coyne, a eacpentar, has invanted a new implemant of warfacs. The device consists of a ascisa of kites, supporting a cable, upon which a "trolley" kite is made to travel. The trolley kite eacries a bomb of high explosive power, which is autonatically calassed. Ity means of specially constructed kites, of which Mr. Coyne is the inventor, he claims to be able to support a cable nearly seven miles in length by using a number of

kites in tandem. The traveling kite will support a folds automatically upon releasing the lng "them to understand the realing." bomb and caturns of tis own weight. Successful practical tests are said to have been made of the kites.

apil Dies After Ponishmoot by a Teacher. KANBAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 10.-Tensar-old Illanche Nippold, a pupil at the Morss public school, dled at the school building Thuesday following alaps and a shaking administered by har teacher. The child's body was distorted and physicians say she had avidently died in a spasm. She was subject to spasms and had heart dlecase.

Through Car torvice in Mesico.

Cutcaoo, Nov. 10.—One of the largest daily through cac services in the drink the sweet;" These were expresworld will be inaugurated by the Santa Fe coad Sunday. This line will begin operating a daily first-class sleepac between Kansas City, Mo., and the City of Mexico. The distance between tha two points la 2,396 miles. During the eutire run there will be no change whatover.

Ambagedor Poogrefote in Washington, Wannington, Nov. 10.-Locd Pauncefote, the British amhassador, with his family and members of his staff, arrived hece at 4:10 o'clock Thursday aftecnoon. It is prohable that the ambassadoc and the new ficat secretary of the embassy, Mr. Louther, will call at the state department Felday, and a call also may be made at the white house.

Ruhlin Wanta to Fight Joffring. NEW YORK, Nov. 10.-Gus Ruhlin Thursday posted \$1,000 for a fight with ames J. Jaffries.

READING OF THE SCRIPTURES.

International Sanday Rehout Lesso for Savember 19, 1809-Test, Schemtab Nil-t2-Memocy Ca. 1-3.

18 pecially Arranged from Pelnubel's Notes. I GOLIEN TEXT.-The sare of all the people were attentive unto the took of the

w-Neh. 8: 3. READ Nehemiah 8 and Luke 4, 16-22. TIME. - The first day of the seventh nonth, i. e., the mid-lis or last ni Replemmonth, i. e., the middle or last ni September, A. D. 444, about two months after the arrival of Nehemiah in Jerusalem, and a week after the completion of the walla or the 25th of Elul, the sixth month (August-Beptember). The first day of the seventh month was Beptember 22 in 1892, September Il to 1808, and October 1 in 1894.

EXPLANATORY.

I. The Circunstances.—The section

of Nehemiah emhraelng Chaps. 8-10 differs from the opening and from the closing charters in that here Nehemiah la spoken of in the third person, while In the rest of the book he himself writes in the first pecson. In the prayer (Chap. 9) and the covenant (Chap. 10) the first person plural is used. "It was a series of events of the grentcat importance. Nehemiah's design was to renew and enlarge the reforms which Ezra had begun 13 years before. Chaps, 8-10 are an account of transactions running through 24 days or more, by which Ne hemiah brought this and other reforms Into active operation. Our lesson la the first section of the account, and tella what happened in one day-the first day of the aeventh month (V. 2).

II. The Great Meeting .- V. 1. This chapter abould begin with the last clause of the last versa of the previous ehapters "And when the seventh month was come," etc. The first day of this month was the feast of trumpeta, which proclaimed a day of rejoicing, like our Christmas belis. This was a week after the walls were finlahed. V. t. "Ail the people gathered themselves together:" From the city and from the surrounding country. ".\a In one place, with one purpose. one:" "Into the atreet:" Rather, Into the broad place, the public square. "ttefure the water gate:" The open apace south of the temple, called Ophel, lying between the temple walland the city wall They apaks unto Ezrn, the scellie: This la the first time Ezra's name occurs in the book of Nebemiah

III. The Text-llook.-Va. 1-3. "Book of the inw of Moses:" This "testifica to a general knowledge of the existence of a book the contents of whileh, an far as they are known, agreed aubstantlatly with our l'entateuch."-I'rof. ti. E. Ryle. "Which the Lord, 'Jehovah,' had commanded to Israel:" This was not and revealed by God. V. 2. "The law " Hebrew, Torah, instruction, "here used In a sense which afterwards became and versal."- Prof. Ryle. "Roth of men am! women:" Both have equal need of studying God's Word. "And all that could hear with understanding:" The children, all who were out enough." V. 3. "lie read therein . . . from the morning until midday:" Dr. from daylight, for alx hours or more. "The ears of all the people were attentive: Though there is no word in the Hebrew were found by Adm. Cervara. "As a for "attentive," yet the meaning is

quite coccectly given. IV. Studying the Word of God .- V. 5. Preceded by Worship. V. 5. "Opened the book:" Unrolled the secoli, or roll. "All the people stood up:" Rose to their fect as an act of respect and reverence for God and tils Word, V. 6, "Ezra blessed the Lord:" I'raised tiod In peayee. "All the people unawered:" Reaponaive worship is no new thing. "That which is true. Llt., "So let it be." "Lifting up their hands:" An appeal to God that they accepted the law thus rend and would obey 11. Bowed their heads and worshiped the Lord with their faces to the ground:" They sank down into the posture of humble, earnest peayee, first failing on their knees, and then bending focward and down till their faces cume "be-

tween their knees" (t Kings 18:42). Two Ways of Studying the Hible.— First. V. 8. "So they read . . . dis-tinetly:" It cequiced clear enunciation to be heard by the many thousands assembled. The manner of reading made a great difference us to the sense.

Second. "And gave the sense:" Explaining the unusual words, expounding the meaning and the application of the law, interpreting the uliusions to weight of more than 20 pounds. It history and in every way possible caus-So Christ in the synagogue at Nazarcth caused the people to understand Isalah. (See Luke 4:16-22.)

V. The Fruits of Hibie Study,-Va. 9-12. 9. "The Tirshatha:" Aiffeil to our word jushn. It was the Persian title for a local or provincial governor.- Ryic. First Fruit-Repentance. "For all the people wept:" "In the new light of

the higher truth we auddenly discover that the 'robe of righteonsuess' in which we have been parading is but as 'filthy rugs.' "-l'cof. Adency.

Second Fruit-Joy in the Lord, "Mourn not, nor weep:" You have wept long enough; you have fastened your eyea on your sina too exclusively V. 10. "Go your way, eat the fat und aiuna uf joy and aids to juy. "Aud acmi poetiona," etc.: Another way of expressing and of lucreasing true joy. "Nelthee be ye sorry:" Sorrow and epeniance are never required for their own sake, but for the better things which grow out of them. "For the joy of the Lord is your atrength:" Your stronghold, R. V., margiu.

PRACTICAL

The sludy of the lible has wcought wondrous changes in men and in mations. A vast cloud of witnesses lestify to ita renovating power. Every nation now exlating is great, moral and happy in proportion as the tlible is studied and obeyed.

There is much value in grent misemblies for lible atudy (1), in reviving the interest in such study; (2) in urousing enthusiasm; (3) in bringing light from many sidea; (4) lu the instruction of men of the deepest experience and widest knowledge.

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Matter of Leagth.

"How long should mourning gowns be worn by a widow of 22?" was the question that came sobbing through the mails. Now it chanced to be the sporting editor's day off, and the relighaus editor, therefore, was attending to the Side Talks with Young Persona. "There is no hard and fast rule, wrote the religious editor, confidently, "but they ought to come down to the boot tops, at least." This incident illustrates the occasional awkwardness of a newspaper standing as a hulwark of morals to the eaclusion of averything elac.—Detroit Journal.

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Ita Ocigin.

"Hooti" eried the owl ever and anon.
The fowls of the sir and the beasts of tha
field sirred uneasily in their sleep and mnttered meledictions.
"Why are they so angry?" asked tha owlet

at last.
"They are envious, my child," replied the owl, "of my Scotch dislect. Hoot, boot!"-Detroit Journal.

Dalightfatly Femtaine.

Mother—I don't understand you at all. You are constantly pressing Miss Whirly now, and you used to insist that you could not bear her.

Daughter—But I didn't know than, mamma, that ahe was fealous of ma. It is too swant of har. Detroit Free Press.

"Steam has rendered man Inestimable service," remarked the observar of men and things, "and woman also, since it has enabled her to open her husband's letters without his ever knowing it."—DetroitJour-

Some Are So Clever.

"Is it hard to proposa to a girl?" asked the novice in affairs of the heart.
"Sometimes it's a good deal harder not to propose," returned the man of worldly exparisee, thoughtfully. "It's always well to be on your guard."—Chicago Post.

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Needless Adjectives.

Little Willie—"Say, pa, what's a redund-ancy of expression?

Pa—Using more words than are necessary to express one's meaning, such as "wealthy iceman," "wealthy plumber," ele.—Chicago Evening News.

When a man says he wants work, he does not always mean that he is willing to do the work he is capable of doing, at the market price.—Atchison Globe.

Ha (ardenlly)—I am heels over head in love with you." She (the cruel ecquette)—"How awfully upaet you must be! "Town It is a matter of wonder that nobody ever excused his tardiness by claiming that the sun rose too late.—Ledger Monthly.

A millionsire's daughter is taken at her par value.—Elliott's Magazine.

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Where Love is, there God is also.

Conflowed from November 1)

"That's just what I say," remarked the old woman. "I myself had seven of them, - only one daughter is left." And the old woman began to relate where and how she lived with her daughter, and how many grandchildren she had. "Here," she says, "my strength is only so-so, and yet I have to work. I pity the youngsters my grandchildren- how nice they are! No one gives me such a welcome as they do. Aksintka won't go to any one but me. (Little grandmother, dear little grandmother, loveliest"}-and the old woman grew quite sentimental.

"Of course, it is a childish trick. God be with him," said she, pointing to the boy.

The woman was just about to lift nett Memorial. the bag upon her shoulder, when the Wav.

The old woman nodded her head, and put the bag on the boy's back.

forgot to ask Adam to pay for the apple.

Adam stood motionless and kept gazing after them; and he heard them talking all the time us he walked away. After Adam saw them disappear, he returned to his room; he found his eye-glasses on the stairs, they were not broken; he picked up his awl, and sat down to to work ngain.

After working a little while, it grew darker, so that he could not see to sew: he saw the lamp-lighter passing by to light the street-lamps.

"It must be time to make a light," he thought to himself; so he fixed his little lansp, lrung it up, and betook himself again to work. He had one boot already finished; he turned it around, looked at it: "Well done." He put away his tools, swept off the cuttings, cleared off the bristles and ends, took the lamp, put it on the table, and took down the Gospels from the shelf. He intended to open the book at the very place where he had yesterday put a piece of leather as a mark, but it happened to open at another place; and the moment Adam opened the testament, he recollected his last night's dream. And as soon as he remembered it, it seemed as night. though he heard some one stepping about behind him. Adam looked around, and aces-there, in the dark corner, it seemed as though people were standing: he was at a losa to know who they were. And a voice whispered in his ear,-

"Martin-ah, Martin! did you not recognize me?"

"Who?" uttared Adam.

"Me," repeated the voice. "It is I;" and Stepannitch stepped forth from the dark corner; he smiled, and like a little cloud faded away, and soon vanished.

"And this is I," said the voice. From the dark corner stepped forth the woman with her child: the woman smiled, the child laughed, and they also vanished.

"And this is I," continued the voice; both the old woman and the boy with now slowly recovering. the apple stepped forward; both smiled and vanished.

Adam's soul rejoiced: he crossed himself, put on his eye-glasses, and began to read the Evangelists where it happened to open. On the upper S. C. Todd, this week. part of the page he read,-

"For I was an hungered, and ye gave me meat: I was thirsty, and ye gave me driuk: I was a stranger, and ye took me in."

And on the lower part of the page he read this: -

"Innsmuch as yo have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me" (St. Mutthew, chap. xxv.).

And Adam understood that his dream did not deceive him; that tho Saviour really called upon him that day, and that he really received him.

Alumini and Old Students.

R. P. Lyman, '95, is carrying muil in Buffalo, N. Y. His health, which a year ago was precarious, is considerably improved.

Dr. S. Josephine McCollum, having taken her diploma from the Hlinois Medical College, is now acting as intern in the Mary Thompson Hospital, Chicago.

The distinguished Chicago surgeon, Dr. Jumes McCollum, '79, attended a wedding this fall at which he was the from Knox county to this locality. groom. Congratulatious? Mrs. Mc-Collum is also a physician.

Miss Minnie Stow, whom many will remember, spent her aummer vacation immediate relief in suffocating Asthat Salt Lake City.

has returned to Berea, and is doing lung and throat troubles. housework at W. D. Caudee's,

The Counties.

Copy for this Department must reach the edi-

Owsley County. South Fork.

Thomas Maupin necidentally fired pistol and wounded Gilbert Peters. but not very severely.

Como to see us now and we will give you the best spare ribs and 'eracklin" bread you ever ate.

not well attended for some reason.

A large number of Owsley's young people are preparing to attend school 1; "that's bad now sure, at Beren the winter and spring terms. Prof. S. W. Carushan of London, thinkin.' week in the interest of the Sue Ben

One of the saddest events that ever boy ran up, and says, "Let me carry occurred in this county was the death ech." it, little grandmother: it is on my of Miss Nancy Saunders, who committed suicide Nov. 5.

"I wouldn't be without DeWitt's tion sny about 'taxntion without repre Witch Hazel Salve for any considera- sentation'? Side by side they both passed along tion," writes Thomas B. Rhodes, a thinkin', an' I says, says I, "Tom, the street. And the old woman even Centerfield, O. Infallible for piles, this 'ere district way of electin', cuts, burns and skin diseases. Be everybody a votin', an' one candidate wure of counterfeits. S. E. Welch, Jr.

> The election passed off quietly here. Dr. J. A. Mahalfey, the Republican feller what gets the most votes bags nominee for Representative, received the whole profit. There ain't a man a majority of 156 votes in the county.

Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her. It is the best salve in America." It ory ain't got crooked." heals everything and cures all skin S.E. Welch, Jr. diseases.

Estill County. Locust Branch.

James Bicknell has bought another

James Skinner died Thursday; was

buried Saturday. Miss Etta Fowler is visiting Mar-

garet Bickuell this week. Jimmie Hubbard had his saddle stolen Sunday night at a singing.

Quite a number of people of this place were in Richmond Monday.

C. Gentry is having a good deal of clearing and brush hurning done.

Miss Nannie Bicknell was the guest

Willie Miller of Irvine preached at Beaver Pond Tuesday night, and will preach again Suuday.

You never know what form of blood poison will follow constipation. Keep the liver clean by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers and you will avoid trouble. They are famous little pills for constipation and liver and bowel troubles. S. E. Welch. Jr.

Madison County. Dreyfus.

Mr. J. S. Riddell was at Red House on business last week.

J. S. Ogg is doing a good business with his sawmill at this place.

illness of more than two months, is

s the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. James Young.

Miss Nannie Cormack, of Richmond, is the guest of her sister, Mis. in'. An' I thought as how I'd write

Mrs. Kate Hurley has returned home after a delightful visit with relatives and friends at this place.

Lagrippe, with its after effects, anunally destroys thousands of people. It may be quickly eured by One Minute Cough Cure, the only remedy monia, and throat troubles. It will prevent consumption, S. E. Welch.dr

Clay County. Ogle.

Adam Baker, of Flat Lick, visited friends here Saturday.

ther near Flat Lick last week.

once it week after goods,

Fleming Keen, of Bright Shade, has bought a farm from Win. Meins, sky ever affords, should not fail to and will move to this neighborhood

T. F. Clark was here Friday. He expects to move his photo gallery

Dr. W. Wixon, Italy Hill, N. Y., says, "I heartily recommend One Minute Cough Cure. It gave my wife ma." Pleasant to take. Never fails Miss Mary Pearl, a former student, to quickly cure all coughs, colds,

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A Letter from Sile.

Denr Citizen: I thought as how I'd write an' tell ye bout the talk I had 'tother day with Tom Martin when he come over our county court house.

"Tom," says I, "how'd that election go over'n your county! Tollable close, wan't it?

'Ves, Sile," says he, "'t was mighty close, but that no count feller dohnson went in 'an had sixty odd votes to spare. I was powerful anxious to see there. dim Brown go to the tegislature to represent us temperance fellers, for we The "Cuban Lecture" given at need a county local option law down White Oak last Saturday evening was our way right bad, but them sixty votes tipped the beam 'tother way nu there we are.

"Lost yer vote, did ye, Tom?" says

"Ves," says he, "your right it's bad. An' I tell ye, Sile, what I've been a thinkin.' We men what voted for Ky., pussed through this vicinity last Brown, an' couldn't elect him un' couldn't send him to talk for us in Frankfort ain't goin' to be represented in that ar legislature, are we? 'No," says I, "you min't represent combined.

"But I puy my state an' county taxes, ten lint dollars every Now what does the good old Declara-

a gettin' the whole un' sole one office is about like ten men a ownin' a sawmill, no' they take to votin', an' the

what 'ud call that fair. Geo. Noland, Rockland, O., says bout n new way of electin' I've just 'My wife had piles forty years. De- heard tell about. They call it 'proportional representation, if my mem-

> 'Well, how do they work it?" "Simple enough," says he. "They give about eight representatives to one big district, an' their they divide em up fair an' square. If the parties hing about equal they take four a piece, but if one gets much ahead, they make it five un' three. Au' if there's Populists enough to elect one man out o'the eight, let'em have him, I say. I nin't no l'opulist myself, but what I say, an' let him have a repre-

sentative to talk for him at Frankfort, a man that he's voted for, an' not a mun that those who are agin him have

An' wouldn't it be fine," says I, "to have the best and popularest men in each party go to Frankfort to make of Lena Richardson Wednesday Democratic district, an' the best an' smartest Democrat may live in a Recan't for em, but some second class,

fussy fellers slip in in their place."
"Why yes," says he, "Pres. McKinley himself got knocked out o' congreas, cause they gerrymandered the finest examples of Dorie architecture where the owners were at hand they state up so, but they couldn't work no in the world. gerrymunder if the representation was proportional. The will o' the people ud get there every time sure, an' the most popular men 'ud get the votes

what 'ud put 'em in." "But what's the use o' talkin, Tone?" says I: "we aim't got this law an' we ain't likely to."

'Yes we be."says Tom, "an you'n' I'll live to see it. They're tryin' it already in some places, perticuly over 'n a country 'n Europe called—le's see, what do they call it? 'Tain't England, 'tain't France, but just a Mrs. B. M. Young, after a lingering like it's 'Boulah laud,' or su'thin' be-

ginning with a B.'

ow slowly recovering.

"Belgium?" says 1.

"That's it," says he, "that's it.

They've been a tryin' it in Belgium. an' like it ever so much, an' they're talkin' about tryin' it here with us."

Then Tom had to go an' feed his horses, but I set still an' kep' a thinkto you about it, Mr. CITIZEN, an' maybe you'd publish it for all your folks to read, so's they could be a thinkin' it over, too.

Yours truthfully, SILAS SHINGLES.

Shooting Stars! Look Out!

The shooting sturs which we see at ight are caused by little pieces of stone or iron, generally no bigger that produces immediate results in thun pebbles or even grains of sand, coughs, colds, eroup, bronchitis, pneu. which are flying through outer space at a rate of many miles a second, and the city. It is roully a woman's hotel

special great shower of these, when hundreds and thousands can be seen in a single night, and, as nearly as of special and historic interest, sstrononiers can reckon, this shower will occur to morrow morning, Thurs-Mrs. Lizzio Swafford visited her fa- day, Nov. 16, between midnight and daylight. It is barely possible that the shower may be a few hours ahead T. J. Holcomb goes to Burbourville of or behind time, so as to come dur-uce a week after goods. ing daylight, but that is not likely. and all who want to see one of the rarest and most spleadid sights the rise in the night and watch for it. The shower may last two or three days, but will be heaviest at the time mentioned.

Very rarely a shooting star is as bright as the moon, and really as large as a bushel basket, or even wagou bed. In that case, pieces of it are sure to fall to the ground. When E. G. Dodge, of Berea, was in Europe, he saw in the Vienna Museum a section of an iron stone which had fallen at Eagle Station, Carroll Co., Ky., and had been sent all that way across

SPECIAL DEPARTMENTS.

THE SCHOOL.

Edited by Mrs. Eura H. Yorem, Dear of the

Perhaps some of you may be studying Pennsylvania in your Geography cluss just now, and it will make Phil- three miles lies a truet of several hunadelphia seem a little nearer and dred acros that is covered with a line more real to you to hear direct from growth of young timber, mostly oaks

You remember that it was founded in 1682 by William Penn as the capital of his province of Penusylvania.

Its name means, " Brotherly love. This city was, with brief exceptions, the sent of the United States Government from 1774 until 1800, when the clean trunks six to ten inches in dienpital was moved to Washington.

miles, and has about 190,000 dwell- ago." They were just getting out of ings, which is said to exceed the the pole forest stage und in unother, number in Chicago and New York fifty years would make thousands of Clear off the dining table, and let the

America until 1830, when New York cuttings have been made are thick-the center, and at the count of "one took the lend.

city, and over 600 churches.

fathered by Benjamin Franklin, and have grown out of the brush stage into with chalk) wins the contest. This is one of the finest institutions of the the pole forest stage. But after the a line game, provided no member of country, is here.

tute, and many other institutions of it was not worse than carelessness, let hearning are here, and these with a a lire get m and nearly the entire but do the children understand that number of fine public libraries mark tract was burned over. It was not a "No," says he, "an' I tell ye, Sile. Philadelphia as a leading city of our very fierce lire except in places, but if land in learning and refinement.

It was here that Washington deliered his farewell address; here was carefully he will find a great many ways, one up and down, and two corfounded the first bank in the United barned a little near the ground. Fer ner ways, one up and down, and two cor-Stutes; also the first mint for coining haps this is only on one side or it

cipal building in the world. It is not kinfe it will be found that the live yet done, and has already cost \$18,000 growing layer or cambiane is cooked 100). It is 470 x 486 feet in area and so that if the tree is not killed entire eight feet higher.

a brouze figure of William Penn it- found musound at the heart or perhaps self 37 feet high -- and the whole hollow and worthless. In other parts the summer will enjoy this easy spell-

and is a grand structure.

our laws for us? Why, the way things sylvania Railroad opposite the city ten or twelve feet high were blackened; are now, the very best un' smartest hall is one of the largest and finest to the tops, while larger trees were Republicun in the state may live in a stations in the country. Five hun-burned on the trunks two or three the right of naming the next object dred and thirty trains arrive and de- feet high and their decay will date to be guessed. publican district, so they can't do a part daily, carrying an average of from that, thing, nor their friends au' admirers 60,000 passengers.

> is here, a building modeled after the business in particular. Some of the from the floor. Then see who is Parthenon and said to be one of the land belonged to non-residents, and

Fairmount Park, where the Centennial was held, is the largest public

At the Green Street entrance to a fine statue of Washington on horseback and around this are grouped some most interesting historical and that is to make the men and women allegorical ligures.

The oldest chartered school in the United States is here. The William Penn Charter School for boys has been in existence for more than two centuries, and was chartered by Will-

iam Penn in 1701. The city also boasts the largest Zoological garden in the country, containing nearly 1,000 living specimens.

Just now there is in progress here "Trades Exposition," which is bringing many visitors to the city. I have not visited it, but it is said to be of great interest and is expected to do a great deal toward promoting

business interests in the country. The Y. M. C. A. has a line building on the corner of 15th and Chestunt streets and the association seems to be doing a good work in many di-

rections.
The Woman's Christian Association Building is on the corner of 18th and Arch streets and does a great work for the working women and girls of which, when they strike the earth's with the moral restraints and pleasair, are hented by the friction and are burned up.

the earth's with the moral restraints and pleasair, are hented by the friction and are there daily on the 8th theor and use Watch the fires at this season. burned up.
Once in thirty-three years there is a the pleasant library in the after sup per hour.

Next week we will visit some places

THE FARM.

Edited by S. C. Mason, Professor of Bortlent

Watch the Fires. To the east of Beren about two or and pines. Not much of the old growth is left, but we are told that the original growth was very heavy and that fifty years ago s lurge saw mill did a flourishing business in there. An old resident near this land, pointing to a grove of pines with straight played nurbles when they were Isoye! ameter said, "Those trees were just It covers an area of 120 square bushes when I came here thirty years feet of line timber. Scattered all The University of Pennsylvania, were a few days ago and soon would Girard College, the Drexel Insti- leaves some careless person, we hope much use of tobacco! may be clear around the trunk and a The City Ifall is the largest muni- foot high, but cutting in with a sharp The great tower has on its summit and when the tree is cut it will be done the votin' for."
"Tonr", says 1, "you're right. I'd reaches a height of 547 feet 34 inches. where the leaves had drifted in a lit-love to see that kind o' law enacted.

The building contains 520 rooms the deeper and there were old tree tops Broad Street Station of the Penn-1 was filerce and hot and pines and oaks

The worst thing about it seemed to did not seem to think a little leaf fire not destroy any large tree or saw log. park in America, containing nearly The young pole trees and the seedlings in a woods are like the children this park stands the Washington in school and the little tota playing blow out the candle Monument, a splendid work of art about the door in a community. They which cost more than \$250,000. It is are not of much use yet in the world's work but they are the growing stock of the future.

A family without children has little show for representation in the affairs of the next century. The kind of start these little folks get will deeide largely the kind of men and women they will make too.

Now the growing stock of a forest comprises all young trees of any size not yet ready to harvest. There has so far been no way discovered to get old, valuable trees except to give them time to grow from young ones, and it takes a great many years as a rule. These young trees in the thickets were ten or fifteen years old and when they are killed the getting of a forest there is put back that length of time. Another thought is that leaves and dead trees and brush are needed on the land. They are returning to the soil a great deal of the strength taken out of it and every

Watch the fires at this season of the year, and if a lire gets started let it be everybody's business to put it

THE HOME.

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SOME GAMES.

What do we do ut home on winter evenings, when the day's work is

Some one has said that the British play more games than any other nation, and that this makes them the biggest hustlers in the world's work, Some one else has said that the reason the American gunners shot so straight at Manila and Sastingo was that they

This, of course is an exaggeration, but playing good games (unless the thing be averdone) is not only line sport, but profitnide, us well. It

wakes us up and oducatos us. Here is something a trifle new. whole family sit around it, first choos-It was the most populous city of through this tract where more recent ing sides. Lay a blown egg shell in ets of young pines and oaks six to two, three," let all blow at it from There are 425 public schools in the twelve feet high. They are thrifty their lips at once, and the side which and in good growing condition, or lirst succeeds in blowing it to be opposite end (or into a square nurked ground was well littered with fallen the family has his breath tainted by

We all know how to play checkers, simple yet interesting game, "Three Men Morris?" Draw a square on any one will go through those woods state or paper. Draw four lines now and examine the young trees through the center, one of them sidechecker men, buttons, or kernels of corn (red and white.) Then one player lays a man on one of the nine spots where lines come together, and the other follows, each trying to lay is the highest building in the world, by it is deadened on one side and so the other from doing so. If neither with one exception. The Wushing will be severly checked in its growth, succeeds at first, the players take I say. I min't no Populist myself, but the formula of the players take let every man vote his sentiments, is ton Monument at Washington is and if it grows on to be a tree the turns in moving their men along the foundation is hid for a rotton spot, lines, one step at a time, until one or

the other succeeds in making a row. Those who have been to school in The building contains 520 rooms the deeper and there were old tree tops of something in the room, (or, if you and dry brush to help feed it, the fire prefer, something on the farm, and names the letter with which it begins, an C for chair, B for bed, etc. The

Tie a string to the stem of a large apple and let it hang freely from the The United Stutes Custom House be that the whole affair was nobody's ratter or ceiling, and about five feet smart enough to hite the apple with-

out touching the hunda to it. Some of us have enjoyed great sport by setting a lighted candle on the was doing much damage. It would table, placing one of our number in front of it, and then securely blindfolding him. Tell him to atep back three steps, turn around three times, step forward three steps, and then use his hands to find the corner of the table, but must blow straight ahead.

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